1	2	3
Shillong— Calcutta		819
Cooch Behar— Calcutta		783
Agartala— Shillong		455
Bagdogra— Cooch Behar		389

Approval for subsidised fares of IA on N. E. Sector

6921. SHRI SURESH KALMADI: Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION AND TOURISM be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Indian Airlines has sought approval from Government to stop subsidising fares on North-Eastern Sector of the country;

(b) if so, what is Government's reaction thereto; and

(c) what are the details of the subsidised fares and since when they have been operational?

THE MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION AND TOURISM (SHRI GHULAM NABI AZAD): (a) No. Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) Fares in the North-Eastern Region are lower by about 17 per cent on an average as compared to the fares on similar sectors in the rest of India.

गुजरात में पर्यटन के लिए धनराशि

6922. **श्री कनकसिंह मोहन सिंह मंगरोला** : क्या **नागर विमानन और पर्यटन** मंत्री 28 अप्रैल, 1994 को राज्य सभा में अतारांकित प्रश्न 4891 के दिए गए उत्तर को देखेंगे और यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि पिछले तीन वर्षों के दौरान गुजरात में पर्यटन के विकास हेतु कितनी धनराशि प्रदान की गई है?

नागर विमानन और पर्यटन मंत्री (श्री गुलाम नबी आजाद) : केन्द्रीय पर्यटन विभाग ने गुजरात राज्य में पर्यटन के विकास के लिए वर्ष 1990–91, 1991–92 और 1992–93 में क्रमशः 98.55 लाख रु0, 141.58 लाख रुपए और 20.90 लाख रुपए स्वीकृत किए थे।

Tourism projects

6923. SHRI IQBAL SINGH: Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION AND TOURISM be pleased to state:

(a) the details of tourism projects in the country for the last three years;

(b) the allocation made for the purpose during the year 1994-95; and

(c) what steps are being taken by Government to boost development of tourism in the country, particularly in Punjab?

THE MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION AND TOURISM (SHRI GHULAM NABI AZAD): (a) the details of amounts sanctioned to the different States, during the last three years for developing tourism infrastructure is appended as a statement. (See below).